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## Marvelous Sight Awaits Fete Crowds

City's Famed Wisteria Vine  
Almost In Full Bloom And  
Ready For Festival!

The great old Wisteria Vine about which the city's annual fete centers, is already a lacy green and lavender canopy covering the entire Fennel estate on scenic Point, and everything is ready for the formal opening of the city's big annual event at noon next Friday, when 100 or more newspaper publishers and prominent citizens throughout the county will be luncheon guests under the vine.

Were it not for the fact that arrangements had already been made for the opening day next week, the festival could have started today, for the vine is further in bloom than it ordinarily is a week after the opening date, so that even the earliest arrivals will not be disappointed in the gorgeous spectacle they anticipate seeing.

Also this year the floral setting or background for the lavender blossoms is more beautiful than it has ever been. The Cherokee and Brabant roses which stud the lavender blossoms on the south front of the Fennel cottage, are in full bloom. So are myriads of vari-colored bedded flowers throughout the grounds, while the orange and early blooming fruit trees are in full blossom, all contributing to a picture of entrancing beauty.

## Babylon Had New Deal, Forum Told

Arnold Praeger Leads Discussion  
On National Security  
Act—Others Speak

Before an audience that crowded the auditorium of the City Hall to capacity on Tuesday evening, Arnold Praeger, distinguished attorney of Los Angeles, addressed the Sierra Madre Forum on the National Security Act. Added interest was given the evening's program by the presence of Mrs. George Mangold, National Chairman of Child Welfare for the League of Women Voters, who spoke briefly on those titles of the Security Act dealing with children.

Present also was the field secretary, Mrs. Michener, for the Second Annual Conference on World Relations to be held this year at Whittier, scene of last year's conference, under the auspices of the Society of Friends, better known perhaps, as the Quakers.

As a preface to his detailed analysis of the Security Act, Mr. Praeger made a lively historical review of social security legislation. Such legislation, he said, went back to times remote. In fact, many of the laws on the statute books today—such as those, for example, protecting a working man from the seizure of his tools—have their exact counterparts in the legal code of Babylon. Then, Egypt had a food administrator in the days of Joseph. The machine age began with Archimedes. There is, in short, nothing new under the sun nor in the New Deal.

Abroad—  
In his discussion of the present evolution of social security measures, Mr. Praeger also suggested that recent American legislation along these lines merely followed that already in force in at least nine European countries. The reason that America had lagged behind other nations in this respect was due to the "open frontier" in this country, making it possible for those who were economically pressed to escape to freer conditions. When the frontier was closed, the need for social security laws became immediately apparent.

The speaker then took up in detail the eleven titles under the National Security Act, some of which refer to tax levies, but the majority of which deal with the old and indigent, with the care of crippled and otherwise handicapped children, with unemployment insurance, and with measures to insure harmony in the application of the Act as between the Federal Government and the various States.

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Following Mr. Praeger's address there was considerable discussion by members of the Forum regarding the relief situation generally and numerous questions were asked.

Among other things, it was pointed out that while there appears to be no stint in the expenditure of the Government for armaments, the National Security Act envisages the necessity for those who are old and poor to go on living at a level far below what is regarded as the normal American standard.

## City Asks \$17,223 For Street Repair And Improvements

A resolution was adopted by the City Council on Wednesday asking for \$17,223 from the county gas tax fund for improvements and expenses of culverts, gutters, curbs, manholes and streets. The money, if granted, will be placed in the general road fund, as distinct from the "special gas tax street improvement fund." The latter, which was created for State gas tax monies, was given final reading at the meeting.

According to City Business Manager Al S. Myers, the county gas tax money will be used to repave Suffolk and Alegria avenues. Canyon Drive will be paved, and many old wooden culverts around town will be replaced with concrete culverts. Included in the latter project is the culvert at Auburn and Highland avenues, at the southeast corner of the school grounds.

Joseph Swanson, secretary of the Wisteria Fete, invited the Mayor and Council to attend the press-luncheon on the Fennel estate, Friday, March 30, marking the formal opening of this year's Fete.

## Permits For 3 New Homes Are Issued

Starting out the current month with a bang, permits for three new homes in Sierra Madre have already been issued at the City Hall.

A permit for the construction of a residence and garage at 390 East Montecito, at an estimated cost of \$2350, has been granted to Joe Scalzo, of 135 East Sierra Madre Blvd. Thomas Scalzo, same address, has been granted a permit for a residence and garage at 390 North Baldwin avenue. The two lots were sold through the office of N. M. Mesecar of Kersting Court.

Trafford Hutson, of 211 W. I. Hollingsworth building, Los Angeles, will build a residence and garage at 671 West Orange Grove avenue, at an estimated cost of \$4750. As stated in last week's NEWS, Hutson was granted a permit in February for a house at 681 West Orange Grove avenue. He plans to build a third house on Orange Grove avenue in the immediate future.

February saw Sierra Madre continuing a real estate activity promising a structural volume for this year that will exceed by a wide margin the gain registered in 1935 over the preceding year.

Permits totaling \$19,583 were issued for the first two months of this year as against \$13,842 for the corresponding period last year.

The total for last month is \$12,716 as against \$5,697 for February, 1935.

## Says Street Ruined By Tunnel Trucks

R. W. Carlson, 501 East Highland avenue, in a letter to the Council on Wednesday demanded to know who is going to recondition East Highland avenue from Canyon avenue down to the cemetery. In his letter he said that "the trucks hauling dirt from the tunnel have 'made a wreck of our street and someone is going to have to do something about it. Who is it going to be—the city or the Metropolitan Water District? Our paving was in good shape before those trucks started rolling it up in waves and punching holes in it."

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## Voorhis To Tell Views At City Hall

Place Of The Liberal In Present  
Crisis In America  
To Be His Theme

More than local interest has been aroused by the promised appearance here next Tuesday evening, before the Sierra Madre Forum, of H. Jerry Voorhis, headmaster of the Voorhis School for Boys, at San Dimas, when he will speak on "The Place of the Liberal in the Present Crisis in America." Mr. Voorhis, regarded as one of the leading liberals in California, was chosen by the Administration recently as a member of the delegation to the National Convention under the leadership of Senator McAdoo. He resigned in protest to the McAdoo leadership and his place was recently filled, instead, by Phil Dodson, City Attorney for Sierra Madre.

Mr. Voorhis, prominent in both educational and political circles, is a graduate of Harvard University. His school in San Dimas, beginning as an experiment in education established by himself and at his own expense, has become one of the foremost institutions of its kind in the United States.

The Forum session will be held as usual in the auditorium of the City Hall and will be called to order at 8 p.m.

## Hawkes, 96, Takes An Aerial Joy Ride To Escape Jitters

If you were 96 years old and got sort of restless and fidgety doing nothing more exciting than shoving back and forth in your porch-swing, what would you do? Especially if you'd led an adventurous life, and were craving a bit of adventure now?

Ask our Mr. M. A. Hawkes. He's 96. He knows.

These same questions were running through the mind of Mr. Hawkes Tuesday afternoon. He lives at 196 West Montecito avenue. It's a pretty street lined with Jacarandas, and the Hawkes residence has a porch-swing where an elderly person can see all that goes past and be pretty comfortable. But Mr. Hawkes was a miner in his more active days. He spent a large portion of his time climbing about mountains where a slip meant death, and planting powder-shots also that were none too safe, to say nothing of working in tunnels where rock was often treacherous and bent on murder.

So, thinking things over as another plane went humming high overhead, he had a sudden inspiration. That was it—he'd never

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## Horticulturists Of The Southland Meet Here Tomorrow

The Southern California Horticultural Society will hold a picnic luncheon Saturday afternoon on the patio of the Sierra Madre Woman's clubhouse. Miss Kate Sessions of San Diego, wellknown horticulturist, will be the principal speaker. At 3 o'clock the group will visit Italia Mia, prize winning gardens of Miss Thomasella H. Graham, on North Lima street.

## SIERRA MADREANS WHO WILL CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS TODAY SCOFF AT FRIDAY 13TH JINX

No Hoodoo About It—Just  
Another Day In Their  
Lives, Say Local Residents

FRIDAY the thirteenth holds no terrors for Dr. M. A. Everett, C. L. Twycross, Ruth Grant and Mrs. D. Resnick who celebrate their birthdays today. Aside from its being their birthdays, it's "just another day" to them.

C. L. Twycross wasn't even aware that Friday and the thirteenth happened together this month, until his attention was called to the fact.

"I'll have to watch my step, since you mentioned it," he said, jokingly.

Twycross, as a matter of fact, considers 13 more or less of a "lucky number" for him. It was on January 13, 1913, that he entered the postal service, he pointed out.

Dr. Everett, who is 81 years old today, said:

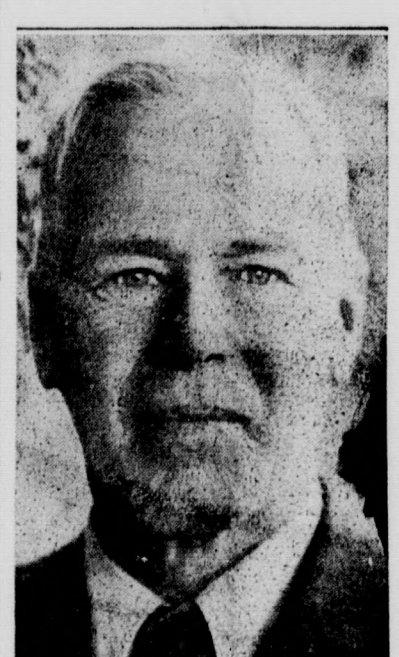
"All days are alike to me. I'm not a superstitious person; it's not in my makeup. After all, what's the difference in numbers or days? It's all nonsense."

The fact that Dr. Everett cele-

## Sitting City Councilmen File Papers

Frank Gibson's Petitions Not  
To Be Entered—Name  
Election Officers

Nominating petitions were filed yesterday for John Froehlich and Preston Schwartz, members of the City Council whose terms expire this year and who are candidates for reelection. Though pe-



Preston Schwartz



John Froehlich

titions may be filed up to and including March 25, there is a strong possibility that Froehlich and Schwartz may be unopposed at the municipal election on April 14. Frank Gibson who took out petitions last week with the announcement that they would be circulated in the interests of two candidates whose names he refused to divulge, said yesterday that the petitions would not be filed because one of the prospective candidates had at the last minute refused to go through with his candidacy. It is reported that this unnamed person was to have been Mr. Gibson's running mate.

No candidates have yet appeared, either, against City Clerk Waverly Pratt or City Treasurer Carlton Pegler, who have filed papers as candidates to succeed themselves.

Nearly 500 citizens failed to get their names on the registry list before registration for the April election closed last Thursday and will be barred from participation in the city election. However they have until March 26 to qualify for the May primary election when delegates who will help select the presidential candidates will be chosen and when the voters will pass upon proposed bond issues for a new court house and additions and improvements to Olive View Sanitarium.

The City Council on Wednesday decided on four polling places for the city election and named the election officers. A list of the polling places, their location and the election officers who man them will be found in the Resolutions of Council No. 670, published in full on page seven of this issue of THE NEWS.

John Froehlich's petition was circulated by James C. Norris, and those who signed it were Fred C. Herrman, Anna Wolf, Dr. John L. Woehler, W. S. Andrews, Roy Edwards, Anthony W. Ifrig, Thomasella H. Graham, Virginia L. Roess, Warren E. Craig and H. B. Hersey.

The Schwartz paper was circulated by Thomas M. Schwartz and the sponsors are William A. Evans, F. H. Hartman, Frank L. Lovell, Jack Paschall, William J. Schiltz, L. E. Steinberger, Thomas Miller, Jr., H. B. Hersey, Woodson F. Jones and Cecily A. Allen.

## Finest Climate On Globe Here Says World Traveler

P. J. Quinn, proprietor of Quinn's Cafeteria at Phoenix, Arizona, and his small son Richard, are visiting another son, John Quinn, at 586 Woodland Drive. Mr. Quinn, a world traveler and frequent visitor at Canyon Park during the past 18 years, declares that Sierra Madre enjoys the world's finest climate—according to the world as he has found it.

## Church Will Observe 50th Anniversary

First Congregational Group  
Has Elaborate Program  
For This Month

The First Congregational Church will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary on Friday, March 27. All departments of the Church are preparing for the celebration, under a committee with Mr. C. W. Jones as chairman, which will compose four events. Tuesday, March 17, is Woman's Society Day, and plans are in charge of Mrs. Conyers L. Twycross, president. There will be an address by Rev. Fred Field Goodenow, D.D., senior secretary of the American Board at 11 o'clock, to be followed by a luncheon to which all are invited. Immediately after the luncheon a series of "historical flashes" will be given.

Sunday, March 22 is Church Day. At the morning service at 11 o'clock, all of the church will worship together. A junior choir led by Mrs. Mae Barlow will sing and the pastor, Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard, will give the address.

Friday, March 27, is the "big day" of the celebration. At 4 o'clock there will be a historical meeting at which Rev. W. H. Hannaford, a former pastor, will read a brief historical sketch of the church, followed by a reception to former members, many of whom are expected for the day. A committee with Mrs. Dickson as chairman is gathering and arranging an exhibit of historical material relating to the church. At 6:30 there will be an anniversary dinner to which the public is invited, especially those who have been identified with the church in its years of progress.

A program of music and episodes is to come after the dinner. Reservations must be made for the dinner and tickets secured before Thursday as the arrangements will not permit otherwise.

On Sunday, March 29, the guest preacher will be President James A. Blaisdell, D.D., of Claremont Colleges, who will speak on the "Eternal Church." A full chorus choir will sing Mozart's "Twelfth Mass Gloria," and Miss Elizabeth Morgridge will play an offertory number.

All of the services are open to the public, the dinner being the only one where tickets are required. The special finance committee reports that up to date the Jubilee Fund has reached \$3163.

School Asks  
More Strict  
Dog Law Here

Safety Of Children Requires  
More Stringent Ordinance  
Council Is Told

AN ordinance requiring dogs to be kept on the premises of their owners or on leash for the safety of the city's children was suggested to the City Council in a letter from Miss Elizabeth Steinberger, principal of the public school, read at Wednesday night's meeting of the Council. Her letter follows:

"I wish to bring before you a matter which I feel you will want to consider. As you know, all that is now required of one who owns a dog is to pay a license fee. Many times on playgrounds there are as many as eight dogs of all breeds, ages and conditions. Several of them have bitten the children. No one knows when a dog may become afflicted with rabies; then we will all become excited and will wish to do something. It may be too late."

"Is there any reason why Sierra Madre can't have an ordinance such as other places do, requiring dogs to be kept on the premises or on a leash. I am sure that any one who really cares for a dog will not object to this."

The matter was referred to Business Manager Myers with instructions to see whether any other city has the sort of ordinance suggested by Miss Steinberger.

## BITTER ANNEXATION FIGHT LOOMS BEFORE COUNTY SUPERVISORS

Protests Against Arcadia's  
Gobbling Of Foothill Front-  
age To Be Heard Monday

CANT GIVE SERVICE

Whether or not the city of Arcadia is to annex another fat bit of territory which Sierra Madre claims as rightfully her own is to come up before the County Board of Supervisors next Monday, when both sides of the controversy are to be presented by representatives of the two cities. It is expected that this will be but a preliminary skirmish, for Sierra Madre is determined to stand on its rights, it is said, and the general understanding seems to be that back of the Arcadia ambition to extend its already unwieldy domain are certain powerful interests who are not used to being balked.

At the meeting of the local Council Wednesday night Mayor Reavis notified his fellow-members that the supervisors would hear their protests and asked all of them, together with City Attorney Phil Dodson, to be on hand. The meeting is scheduled to be held Monday morning at 10 o'clock, in the chambers of the Board of Supervisors, Hall of Records, Los Angeles.

Al S. Myers, City Business Manager, is expected to take a lively part in the forthcoming skirmish. His intimate knowledge of and long connection with the Sierra Madre water-service is expected to be of particular importance to the local protest.

## Sierra Madre and Arcadia

SO OBVIOUS and inseparable are the mutual interests of Sierra Madre and Arcadia that any conflict between these two communities would appear at first glance to be unthinkable. The same sort of people live in both. Both share an unsurpassed felicity of climate and location. Almost as a single community they conjoin. The prosperity of one means the prosperity of the other. Neither can suffer without the other sharing in this misfortune. Their unity and community of interests, in fact, compels the comparison to that of a happily wedded husband and wife. And this leads to the extension of that simile to include the time-hallowed adage: "What therefore God hath joined together, let not man put asunder."

Yet like an evil spirit the shade of a man long dead now returns to disrupt again the natural harmony which should exist and has long existed between Sierra Madre and Arcadia and to threaten once more their mutual welfare. Will Sierra Madre permit this? Will Arcadia permit it? Will either be so infatuated with the vengeful and malignant will of the late "Lucky" Baldwin that they will choose the ways of vengeance and malice rather than that of amity and plain good sense?

We can, unfortunately perhaps, speak for Sierra Madre only. It was Sierra Madre, and not Arcadia, which was singled out as the particular object of "Lucky" Baldwin's hate. It was and always has been Sierra Madre which has taken the initiative in moves to render that hate ineffective.

It is well-known, of course, that the original cause of the Baldwin distemper was ostensibly one of water-rights. We say "ostensibly" because it is quite possible that before the widely publicized "Lucky" had lived very long in this part of the world he decided that in his cession of those lands now in the corporate limits of Sierra Madre he hadn't been so lucky as his popular nickname implied. Every day that he lived in the lowlands of Arcadia he must have raised his eyes to the majestic slopes of Sierra Madre and said, "These also might have been mine had I but held on to them." In that same early gesture of, "You can have what I discard," he had ceded not only the slopes themselves but certain water rights. When he finally discovered that he had ceded to this supposed Ishmael of his flock, Sierra Madre, the richest portion of his estate, that is to say, the very fountainhead of an abundant water-supply, his rage must have been something to make him ill.

There were all the symptoms of illness in his subsequent conduct—even physical illness, a mental ailment perhaps, but certainly a spiritual sickness. At first he tried to redeem his abandoned water-claims by violence, then all the resources of law were invoked by a strong will and inexhaustible wealth. These failing to satisfy the full measure of his wrath and greed, he once more raised his regretful and malignant gaze to the Sierra Madre slopes and this time must have said: "Hitherto shalt thou come, but no further!"

Adequate, doubtless, is Shakespeare's contention that hell hath no fury like a woman scorned. But even Shakespeare

## ARCADIA UNABLE TO SERVICE PART OF PRESENT TERRITORY CLOSER THAN BALDWIN TRACT

Indirect admission by Arcadia authorities that homes on the Baldwin property immediately south of Sierra Madre between Orange Grove avenue and Foothill boulevard are too remote to be serviced adequately by the Arcadia fire department is contained in published reports of an investigation just concluded by J. Victor Covell, Arcadia postmaster and chairman of the Arcadia West Side Improvement Association.

According to Covell's findings, 50 per cent of the fire losses on the west side of Arcadia has occurred on the far side of El Monte avenue. Much of this district, which it now takes about 8 minutes to reach from the Ar-

Water, it is understood, may be the final word in the pending dispute as it was, in effect, the first.

The present move of Arcadia to annex more territory contiguous to Sierra Madre and blocking this city's growth to the south dates back, of course, to the days of "Lucky" Baldwin, when the rancher-horseman, peeved at the loss of certain water rights to the growing hamlet of Sierra Madre, took steps to thwart this city's further development. To accomplish this, he incorporated part of his vast ranch lying to the south and east of Sierra Madre as an integral part of the then meager city of Arcadia which he had founded.

Not wishing, however, to have the home of "Lucky" Baldwin, nor its contiguous gardens and paddocks subject to Arcadia taxes and municipal regulations, Baldwin had this acreage scalloped out of the unpopulated area of his city and maintained it as county territory.

It is this county territory, extending along the Foothill boulevard from just west of the Baldwin home to Sierra Madre avenue, and extending northward to within a short distance of Orange Grove avenue, that Arcadia—or the interests back of Arcadia—now proposes to annex.

Separating this acreage from Sierra Madre—that is, between the county territory and West Orange Grove avenue—is a narrow tongue of land or peninsula, already incorporated as a part of

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## Sierra Madre and Arcadia

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speare might have compared it, at that, to the spite of a spoiled old tyrant who can no longer have his way.

"Lucky" Baldwin drew a map. It was not meant so much to be a map as a fether. Straight across his miles of empty, unpeopled pasture-land, miles beyond the inhabited nucleus of the little town he had founded near his racing stables and bar room, he stretched the northern frontier of his village. Its only purpose was to block forever Sierra Madre's growth in that direction, to shut her off, in fact, from communication with the world. No element of expediency, of prudent planning, of economy, or of the grand foresight generally attributed to the empire builder, could have inspired a map so grotesque. In the beginning, as now, it was but the misshapen offspring of hatred and revenge. Yet there it has remained, through all these years, to plague Arcadia as well as Sierra Madre from time to time, and coming now at last to threaten a scandalous conflict between the two communities.

As to former disputes between Sierra Madre and Arcadia, ever a matter for mere legal adjustments rather than any true clash of interest, we will be silent except to say this—that in no instance has Sierra Madre ever failed to act with complete good nature and generosity. What we ask now is that Arcadia do the same.

The will of "Lucky" Baldwin, long since dead, his hatred gone without trace in the hearts of the present generation, must no longer hinder the rightful, the just and natural, growth of Sierra Madre to the south. This community is already serving, as Arcadia never can serve, a large number of Arcadian tax-payers not of Arcadia but of Sierra Madre. Not only the territory and citizens now thus served—by Sierra Madre's water, lights, streets, her telephone and post office—should become a part of Sierra Madre; this city likewise has an unquestionable and paramount right to the county frontage on the north side of Foothill Boulevard which it is now suggested should also be annexed by Arcadia.

We maintain that the proposal thus to again distend the already unwieldy and grotesque outlines of Arcadia to the detriment of Sierra Madre is both wicked and absurd. It is futile, for Arcadia cannot possibly serve the interests of those who may come to live in this otherwise lovely section.

This Sierra Madre alone can do, not only in the matter of those services mentioned above, but in the matter of fire and police protection, of schools and churches, of an adequate shopping center, and in all matters generally of good neighborliness. It is for the rights of these future residents, as well as for her own, that Sierra Madre now contends. They are rights worth fighting for. And fight we will—if fight we must—with every power at our command; yet ever, as in our past contentions, with friendliness, goodwill, and a full expectancy of that prosperous and happy peace which the citizens of both Arcadia and Sierra Madre rightfully demand.

## Bitter Annexation Fight Looms Before County Supervisors

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Arcadia in accordance with the Baldwin plan to stifle Sierra Madre's growth.

Orange Grove avenue, of course, is a Sierra Madre street. The residents on the south side of this street therefore find themselves in the strange case of going out of their front doors into another town—that is from Arcadia into Sierra Madre. All their services, moreover, must come either from Sierra Madre or not at all, since Arcadia has no street which leads to their property nor other facilities for usual urban service, such as fire and police protection, telephone, water, lights, gas, or postal delivery.

While it is argued that nothing can be done at present regarding this peninsula of the Baldwin map, the Sierra Madrans are determined that the injustice and illegality of thus hemming in the Wistaria Town shall not continue or be aggravated by new obstructions.

The illegality of such further extensions of the Arcadia domain were touched on this week by Sierra Madre's Business Manager Al Myers, in speaking of the water situation.

Sierra Madre occupies a pre-eminent situation on the alluvial basin covering what is known as the Raymond Hill Dyke—a geological formation that forms a vast shell, or reservoir, at the base of the Sierra Madre mountains. Arcadia occupies but a portion of this "dyke" area, and in law is permitted to draw from it a proportionate and therefore limited amount of water.

It is this situation that has caused a long series of claims and adjustments, in all of which it would appear from the record it was always Arcadia was the aggressor and Sierra Madre the conciliator. Yet the claims of the expanding—and, as some say, distending—Arcadia to the priceless water heritage of Sierra Madre have continuously become more insistent.

It is even alleged in certain circles that where Arcadia's claims were not met readily enough, or were in any danger of being reduced or modified, Arcadia has not refrained from resorting to the old Baldwin methods of ignoring the local rights in the matter altogether.

Evidence will sustain the contention moreover, it is said, that every move to conserve and enhance the precious water-supply was made virtually by Sierra Madre alone, and that Arcadia has not only benefited repeatedly by Sierra Madre's initiative but has, in one notable instance, even damaged the Wistaria Town's good work by cutting a drainage ditch of its own on Sierra Madre's property.

As a bit of poetic justice, it is pointed out that in recent storms Arcadia has suffered extensively from this redirection in that the storm-waters, choosing the Arcadia outflow ditch for a run-off, cut a vast gully through a portion of Arcadia's most valuable real estate.

It was largely due to this ditch also, so it is said, that not only has Sierra Madre lost much valuable water but that Foothill Boulevard has been repeatedly silted over and the Santa Fe tracks, further south, have been seriously menaced.

An informant of THE NEWS declares that powerful interests, disregarding Sierra Madre's rights in the matter, have, in fact, already submitted a plan to Washington, D.C., for a vast drainage project, which will call for a run-off of all the storm-waters of this section of the watershed—waters at present largely conserved by Sierra Madre's splendid system of spreading-grounds and settling basins.

In the event that this plan becomes a Federal project, it appears that but two alternatives confront Sierra Madre. She will either be left high and dry, or she will have to look to the Metropolitan Authority for water from the Colorado.

In either case, it would be farewell to Sierra Madre's famous and incomparable supply of pure mountain water.

Information at ALL BUREAUS or call Mt. Wilson St. 9934-F-2

## Erin-Go-Bragh-- Big Dance Here On St. Patrick's Night

Have you noticed that eye-arresting sign that is suspended above Baldwin avenue and Sierra Madre Boulevard? It is a foreboding of some mighty interesting activities that are going to take place on St. Patrick's night at the social hall up at St. Rita's.

The newly-formed Sierra Club will give its first social event, as you probably know. But this is really going to be something out of the ordinary.

Roger Armstrong, who established his reputation as a decorator down at the "Gold Gulch" exhibit at the San Diego Exposition, is decorating the hall for the occasion. A spot light, such as Hollywood moves under, will be trained on the hall, so you cannot mistake the place. George Brown's 13 chocolate colored rhythmists will furnish the music. Shure, an it is to be on St. Patrick's Night!

## BIRTHDAY GREETINGS...

THE NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madrans whose birthdays are indicated:

C. L. Twycross	Mar. 13
Yaya Takasugi	Mar. 13
Mrs. D. Resnick	Mar. 13
Dr. M. A. Everett	Mar. 13
Ernest Poth	Mar. 13
Betty Kirkland	Mar. 13
Edith Grant	Mar. 13
Mrs. Frances Burton	Mar. 14
Mrs. May Fox	Mar. 14
H. B. Cant	Mar. 14
Marion Lane	Mar. 14
Roland Adams	Mar. 14
Ralph Cheyney	Mar. 14
Edward H. Bayard	Mar. 15
Ira Fox	Mar. 17
Rita Baumann	Mar. 17
June Solnit	Mar. 17
Mrs. J. S. Appleby	Mar. 17
Mrs. J. G. Adelmeier	Mar. 17
Frances LaLone	Mar. 18
Mrs. Elizabeth Sutter	Mar. 18
Frances Adams	Mar. 18
Mrs. J. M. Graham	Mar. 18
Minnie Stinman	Mar. 19
Henry Braumann	Mar. 19
Mrs. A. H. Holcomb	Mar. 20
James Dunnagan	Mar. 20

## Church of the Ascension

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Sundays—  
7:30 and 11 a.m.  
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.

Wednesdays—  
7:30 a.m.—Holy Communion and Intercessions.

Thursdays—  
10 a.m.—Holy Communion and Meditation.  
6:30 to 7:30 p.m.—Members and friends family box supper.  
7:30 p.m.—Short Lent Service and Organ recital.

Fridays—  
2 p.m.—Women's Guild.  
4 p.m.—Meditation and Intercessions.

Confirmation—  
May 28—Classes by arrangement.

## Bethany Church

The Little Stone Church  
Rev. Stewart R. Sheriff, Pastor

Sunday—  
9:30 a.m.—Bible school.  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
6:15 p.m.—Christian Endeavor Societies.

7:30 p.m.—Evening meeting.  
Wednesday—  
7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting.

## Congregational

Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard, Pastor  
"Mother Church" will be the topic of the sermon by the pastor at 11 o'clock.

On Tuesday at 11 o'clock Women's Society Celebration. An address by Dr. Fred Field Goodsell, of the American Board. At 12:30 luncheon followed by a historical meeting commemorating the 50th anniversary of the church.

Friday, 4 p.m., a devotional service in the Ladies Parlor by the Pastor.

## St. Rita's Church

Rev. Hyacinth Clarey, C.P., Pastor

Sunday Masses—6:30, 8:00 and (High Mass) 11 a.m.  
Week-day Masses, 6:45 a.m.

Tuesday Evening—Devotions, 7:45 p.m.

Friday—Stations, 7:45 p.m.

## Christian Science

First Church of Christ Scientist of Sierra Madre is a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—Sunday Service.  
8 p.m., Wednesday—Testimonial meeting.

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## Happy Family Church

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10 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.

Thursday—  
7:30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

## Woman's Club Notes

By Mildred Curtis Bolms  
ON a typical sunny California day when odors of the orange blossoms intermingled with frezias, sweet peas, acacia, and early flowering fruit trees and shrubs were wafted through the air, a very fortunate group of women of Sierra Madre clubbed heard Mrs. C. W. Young, member of the California Historical Society, present the second of a series of lectures on "Early California History and Landmarks."

Glamorous names, synonymous with California history, were recalled to mind: the Carillos, the Lugos, the Avilas, the Rimpaus, and others who have made history for the Golden State, all flashed before the mind, as the gifted speaker gracefully delved into the past.

A first talk dealt with the age of Columbus, you remember. The restlessness of the fifteenth century, what actuated the discoverer to take his momentous step, his poverty, and a general outline of what followed, including the origin of the name of "California."

The fabled country, on the shores of the Pacific, which lured men in those days still lures them; and will continue to lure them until the end of time, the speaker said. The men and women who lived here when Los Angeles was a pueblo, and life centered around the plaza must have felt its undeniable charm, too.

Many women have played important roles in the building of the empire, among them Dolores Lugo, Maria Pico, Encarnacion Avila, and many, many others. It was Dolores Lugo who laid the first stone of Loyola College, you know; first in that lovely old two-story house at the plaza; then way, way out in the country... at Sixth and Hill streets! And now at its present wonderful location.

It was Maria Pico who induced California to enter the sisterhood of States. And so on, Mrs. Young vividly painted a series of exquisite word murals, shall we say? Life down at the vast 22,000-acre-ranch of the Lugo family in Bell, California, as it was lived in those days, was described.

After luncheon, which was extremely good; and cooked in Mrs. Tuggle's best style, Mrs. Mark W. White, president of the Tugunga Woman's Club and member of the District Committee on California History and Landmarks, gave a most interesting talk upon the history of the Mother Lode country, of Bidwell's Bar, and of Chico.

The Native Sons and Daughters up that way think a lot of their landmarks and do a great deal to preserve them. She mentioned various famous spots in Chico and Bidwell's Bar which the traveler should stop and see. The 18-room mansion of Captain John Bidwell and his wife is now a girls' private school.

The park and the toll house are, also, well worth your attention. The speaker was introduced by Mrs. J. H. Robertson.

Remember to keep the First of April open for another Dessert-Bridge to be given by the Sierra Madre Woman's Club. Mrs. George Lehner will plan the program.

Mrs. J. H. Robertson, Mrs. Harvey H. Steinberger, and Miss Angie Per Lee of Sierra Madre attended the Monthly Junior Conference at Federation headquarters in Los Angeles on Monday.

"Not for Children," by Elmer Rice was reviewed briefly by Mrs. C. A. Allen at the Drama Section Meeting on Friday. "Not for Children" being the current play at the Pasadena Community Playhouse. Mrs. Allen dwelt on the cleverness of the presentation, but criticized the play.

The play was written in a spirit of "getting back" at the New York critics and to Mrs. Allen seemed to prove their point rather than that of the author's. The dramatic situation was weak, and the play overlong for the context, she thought.

Elmer Rice is a brilliant writer and "Not for Children" is not comparable in quality with his other work. Mrs. Allen also read three poems by Constance Praeger, from the Modern Anthology of American Poetry.

Mrs. A. E. Pulling, chairman of International Relations, announces that Mrs. George B. Morggridge will be the speaker for today, March 13th, at 11 a.m., after which a round table discussion will be held.

And an exceptional program will be given next Friday, March 20th, when, Mrs. C. H. Oneal, District Chairman of International Relations, Los Angeles District, California Federation of Women's Clubs, will be heard.

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## In a Social Way

MOONLIGHT HIKERS DINE

AT HOEGEE'S CAMP—

Who can deny that there is an ineffable charm about a moonlight night? Certainly not a group of young people who climbed the slopes of the Sierra Madres to Hoegge's Camp on Saturday night in the full glory of the Luna's rays. The hike culminated in a savory buffet supper served at the camp by Billy Murphy.

The hiker's list included Dorothy Walsworth, Evelyn Solary, Shirley Chamberlain and Betty Stokes, who is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Corlett; Milton Hollingsworth, Bob Wersted and his guests from Los Angeles; Frank Vane and John Senour.

## PARENTS ANNIVERSARY CAUSE FOR PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Isador Fisher of 322 West Grand View avenue honored the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Isaacs of Los Angeles on Sunday, with a beautifully appointed dinner complementing their thirty-fourth wedding anniversary.

Another guest was Mrs. Victor Comins, of Los Angeles, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaacs, who was a former resident of Sierra Madre.

## FAREWELL PARTY FOR ILLINOIS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Luse, 577 Woodland Drive, entertained on Saturday at a farewell luncheon honoring Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wolfe who are returning to their home in Illinois after wintering in Southern California. Other guests are Mr. and Mrs. Sudam of Monrovia; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alward and Mrs. Myrtle Alward of Long Beach.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY AT "KILL KARE" COTTAGE

Milo V. Chapin celebrated his birthday anniversary on Saturday night with a dinner at his cottage "Kill Kare," 583 Woodland Drive. Table and cake decorations were in the St. Patrick motif. Guests were Meses. Ella A. Cadmus and C. L. Virgin, the Misses Romaine R. Hill and Laura E. Cadmus, Messrs O. F. McCarthy and Frank Cagle.

## ENTERTAIN EASTENERS IN PASADENA

The Rose Tree in Pasadena was the setting chosen for a luncheon given on Wednesday in honor of Dean and Mrs. Archibald Bouton of New York City, who are winter guests of Miss Marion Vannier of 153 South Hermosa avenue. Dean Bouton, who is dean of the English Department of New York University, has many friends in the Southland and they have been the recipients of many similar affairs.

## MRS. WOELHLER ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE LUNCHEON

A pretty bridge-luncheon was given on Wednesday by Mrs. John Woehler of Manzanita avenue. Her guest list included Meses. Mary T. Goodfellow, Hall Perry, Gene Holliger, Frank Spencer.

## EDDIE CANTOR DUE AT ARCADIA THEATRE

Playing today and tomorrow at Gillette's Arcadia Theatre is "Man of Iron," with Barton MacLane and Mary Astor, and "The Melody Lingers On," a mother-love tale, with Josephine Huston. A Pathe News and a comedy-short are also on the bill.

## FIREMEN'S WIVES DISCUSS PLANS FOR WISTARIA FETE

Mrs. M. L. Hays of 248 San Gabriel Court was hostess on Wednesday evening to the committee of Firemen's wives who are going to assist with the Wistaria Fete. Definite plans were lined up for their future work.

Herman Selk, Howard Lieben and John Fitzgerald of Los Angeles.

## ENTERTAIN FORUM GUESTS AT LAWLESS HOME

Mrs. W. J. Lawless of 550 West Grand View avenue entertained at dinner on Tuesday evening before the meeting of the Forum. Her guests were Mrs. E. B. Latham and Mrs. C. A. Mangold, chairman of Child Welfare of the League of Women Voters. They all attended the Forum.

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Claudette Colbert, Fred MacMurray and Robert Young in  
**"The Bride Comes Home"**  
March of Time No. 11  
Selected Shorts



## Fire Breaks May Go Into The Discard

Survey Here Shows Enormous Construction And Maintenance Costs

Tremendous cost of maintaining firebreaks in the Angeles National Forest may result in curtailment of this fire-control method, it was disclosed last week in a report by Verne R. Smith, chief fire dispatcher for the local Forest area.

Smith has just completed a study of the entire forest fire-break set-up, revealing that more than half the several hundred miles of "breaks" must be maintained by hand labor, while the remainder may be done by machine.

"This entails large expenditures of money," Smith said, "and the same amount used for trained CCC suppression crews and equipment would be far more effective, we believe."

In the Saugus District of the Angeles Forest topographical features make it possible for approximately 74 per cent of the firebreak maintenance to be done by machine, the other 26 per cent by hand. But in all other four districts, exactly the reverse is true, the present survey reveals.

Probable results of the survey, according to the belief of several Angeles Forest authorities, will be elimination of all firebreaks on the southern forests, save those on major ridges and drainage divides.

"Through experiments this past summer," officials state, "made possible through the CCC men available near Pasadena, the small trained suppression crew and tank and pump equipment with which to attack fires at their inception has been found a feasible control method."

## PTA's Television-Minstrel Show Is Given A Big Hand

Featuring the Prosperity Minstrel Show of the Fathers' Council, Daniel Webster PTA, held last night in the local school auditorium was a "radio-television" performance over the station "WPTA."

Behind a muslin curtain, through which a strong light was thrown, members of the cast carried out the "television" entertainment, giving a forecast of the future of radio, while the front of the stage was provided with a "radio-television" switchboard and microphone. John Graham, director of the show, acted as broadcaster.

The minstrel performance, the first part of the program, was equal to the fine presentations of the cast in former years.

## Many Unsafe Cars Removed From Highways by Chevrolet



With 557 unsafe automobiles removed from the highways of Southern California during January under the Chevrolet \$1,000,000 Used Car Disposal plan, Chevrolet dealers estimate that an equal number will be junked during February. The above photo shows an executive welding a pick to destroy one of the many old vehicles taken in on a new 1936 Chevrolet. That the program is sound from an economic standpoint, as well as from that of its contribution to safety, is shown by record-breaking sales made by Chevrolet this season.

## "Friday The Thirteenth" Holds No Terrors For The Townsend Club Which Will Open Headquarters Here Today

By Rev. W. H. Hannaford

A Townsend Club headquarters will be opened today—yes, Friday the 13th—at 20 South Baldwin avenue. Mrs. Fellows, who has spent some time in arranging for and preparing the quarters, told the club at its Monday night meeting that she wasn't at all superstitious about Friday the 13th and hoped that today and everyday friends would drop in for information and or a friendly chat.

Mr. Sheehan read a radio address by Mr. Margett, of San Francisco, which was directed to members of Congress and may add to the "jitters" that are said to be manifest in Washington when the Townsend Plan is mentioned. The Bulletin reported our leaders as ready for the "investigation," but Mr. Margett suggests that the "Liberty League," the "Crusaders" and both Demo-

crat and Republican parties be investigated as to where and how they get their money and how it is used. Wouldn't that make interesting reading? And Alice Roosevelt Longworth suggests the awful thought, "What if the investigation should provide Dr. Townsend a pulpit from which to preach his doctrine at Government expense?"

Mr. Brink, of Monrovia, told of some incidents which occurred on the way to Chicago, for the convention, which showed him that the Townsend people are of the best of our population.

Next Monday evening we are to have Rev. Joe M. Nation, Pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, of Long Beach, to speak to us. He has spoken for the Townsend Plan more than 300 times, and his friends assure us that he will give us a fine address. We invite the public to pack the house.

## Says State's Development Is Big Issue

Chief Of Santa Fe System Pleads For Coordinated Bus-Rail Service

California is particularly adaptable to a co-ordinated stage and rail service, Samuel T. Bledsoe, president of the Santa Fe Railway and the Santa Fe Transportation Co., said last Thursday in testifying before the State Railroad Commission in connection with the application of the Santa Fe Transportation Co. to establish a co-ordinated bus and rail service throughout California. The Santa Fe has tried the co-ordinated rail and bus service in Kansas he said, "and can profit by this experience and offer it to California."

He predicted that if the application is granted, the Santa Fe would gain an increase in revenue of \$200,000 during 1936. He also predicted a great increase in California's population because of improved transportation facilities and lower rates.

Several times during the cross-questioning by Southern Pacific and Greyhound bus line attorneys Bledsoe was forced to admit that he could give no specific data as to future results if the application were granted.

After declaring that the Santa Fe brought into Los Angeles more passengers from the East than all its competitors combined, Bledsoe explained that most of these visitors make Los Angeles a stopping point and then proceed to other points in California.

"In order to do so they must take a bus or a train controlled or operated by competitors," Bledsoe said. "We are merely feeding the tourists and visitors into the hopper of the Southern Pacific."

"Five times a day the Santa Fe brings trainloads of passengers to Los Angeles and when they want to go to other places in California they are obliged to use a competitor's line even though they may prefer our service."

"We will continue to fight," he said. "We do not propose to surrender, for the destiny of California depends on the decision in this case. It will decide whether the State will have a transportation monopoly or a regulated competitive transportation system."

Resumption of the hearing, which was adjourned Friday, is contingent upon the commission ruling adversely on a motion of the S. P. Co. to dismiss the Santa Fe's application. A favorable ruling would terminate the hearing automatically. Observers predict a Supreme Court test, regardless of the ruling.

## Fire Flames

By One of the Boys

IN SPITE of the interest in the approaching Wistaria Fete, the meeting tonight will take up the study of better fire fighting methods, which after all is the main goal of the organization.

At a recent meeting a discussion arose regarding the proposal of a fund thru' insurance to care for our sick and it was necessary for each member to reveal his age. The disclosures were surprising, but considering that most of the members have been in the service over 12 years, there is no difficulty in realizing they are aging. This brings the ages in some cases up to where in recent years they would have been considered old men. However, the oldest man on the department is still capable of doing more hard physical work than many of the younger ones.

Up at the Wistaria grounds on Scenic Point Guy Scott has as pets four young screech owls that he has cared for since they were babies. They are old enough to flirt with the owls on the outside of the cage, so of late Scotty's sleep at night has been very much disturbed. Despite this, Scotty cannot get mad enough to kill the bird serenaders that sleep in the orange trees during the day.

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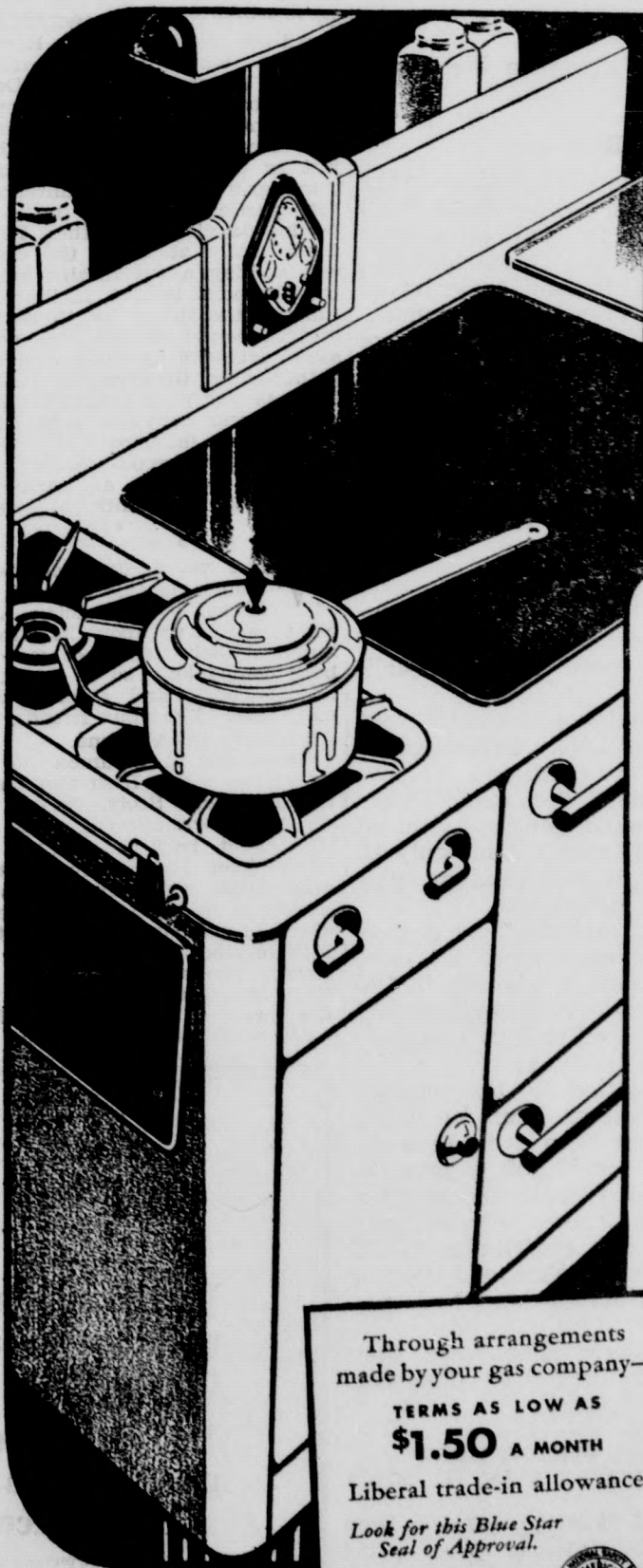
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In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths.—Prov. iii. 6.

The Shepherd knows what pastures are best for his sheep, and they must not question, but trustfully follow Him.—H. W. Smith

### BEATING US TO IT

Hard on the heels of the suggestion in last week's NEWS that Sierra Madre and adjacent cities establish bridgepaths and footpaths throughout the area, comes the news that the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce proposes to promote the building of bridgepaths up Santa Anita Drive and through the nearby mountains, with the assistance of the Forest Service and the CCC boys.

According to Chamber President Albert Daniels, who originated the plan, a 5-mile circuit is envisioned, hooking in with Monrovia near Sawpit dam. A tentative plan for the bridgepaths has been worked out by W. V. Mendenhall, supervisor of Angeles National Forest. It is hoped that the proposed Arcadia Co-ordinating Council, composed of representatives of all city organizations whose purposes will be to handle problems of city-wide interest, will get behind the movement.

Many of the desirable newcomers who are building in Sierra Madre bring riding horses with them and a series of bridge paths along the streets leading to the mountains would undoubtedly have a lot to do with attracting many more of these desirable folks. The cost would be negligible and the result would add immensely to the desirability of the city as a home place.

### MAY BE THE SOLUTION

For the present, at least, and probably for some time to come, relief will be too heavy a burden for individual communities to bear through their county or city governments.

But a Community Chest unit in California last week suggested a program of administration by local governments of funds provided from Washington, and this seems the logical way of California's hopelessly muddled relief situation. The idea was offered after a state-wide survey by leaders in private social work who have drawn up a report at the behest of the State Relief Commission.

This report urges a permanent State welfare program and ask Governor Merriam to appoint a non-partisan fact-finding commission to prepare a plan.

Specific suggestions are to leave with Washington the job of fixing adequate standards and seeing they are maintained, and to put actual administration of the entire relief setup, both direct and work, under administration of local units of government.

Wisely, the Community Chest advances no political reasons for the shift. They did not say the Federal Government thus far has done a bad job or its best under difficulties on the huge emergency relief program thus far. They simply recognized that State relief at present is far from satisfactory, and offered what they thought to be the best remedy.

It would be wise to spend further study on the merits of this plan.

### SOONER OR LATER, BUT—

Senator Walsh, Massachusetts Democrat, believes that new taxes necessary to pay for the spending spree "will hit the persons with smaller incomes in 1937 or shortly thereafter." This is the way he put it in a statement:

"One thing is certain, that the spending program of the government (Roosevelt Administration) will mean increased taxes or inflation in 1937, if not before. If we are to have increased taxes they will have to be obtained through lower tax exemptions and higher normal and surtax rates; also new inheritance taxes, and also possibly a general manufacturers sales tax."

Since "it has not been the practice through the history of depressions to inaugurate economies in an election year," Walsh predicted that budget balancing too would be put off until after November. And then what...

### ISN'T IT A SHAME?

Vacations are a boon. They doubtless should be longer than the present average. But they need a little equalization.

Newspapers in the National Capital are blossoming out with headlines saying: "Congress to Repair Injustices to Government Employees." What are the injustices?

Well, when the big but short-lived "economy" wave started three years ago, the hard-hearted Congress decided that over-worked Government employees should have only 15 days vacation each year, plus Sundays and holidays, plus Saturday half-holidays, plus 30 days sick leave.

Now, Congress is repairing that "injustice" by decreeing that the Government employees may have 26 days vacation, exclusive of Sundays and holidays, plus up to 120 days sick leave. The Government employees complain that they should have 30 day vacations, plus Sundays and holidays. Isn't it a shame to treat them that way?

Who pays for righting this "injustice" to the employee who goes to work at 9 a.m., takes half an hour for lunch, and quits at 4:30? The stenographer who puts in eight hours a day in private employment for \$1,200 a year donates one day's work each week to the federal stenographer whose minimum salary is \$1,440. The farmer, who is lucky if he can get a week's vacation in a year, contributes \$15.50 out of each \$49 he earns. The stenographer and farmer may not be conscious of their contributions, but they pay the taxes just the same.

Bureaucracies feed upon themselves. The more they grow the more they can demand and get from Congress. And the taxpayer pays and pays.

### THIS WEEK IN HISTORY—

- March 6 —
- Battle of Pea Ridge, 1862
- March 7 —
- Florida became a state, 1844
- March 8 —
- William of Orange died, 1702
- March 9 —
- Isaac Hull born, 1773
- March 10 —
- Battle of Neuve Chapelle, 1915
- March 11 —
- Great Blizzard began, 1888
- March 12 —
- British captured Bagdad, 1917

### WINTER VISITOR HERE PASSES AWAY IN IOWA

H. M. Wilhelm, 799 Idle Hour Lane, has received word of the death of his mother, Mrs. O. Wilhelm, in Garwin, Iowa, on March 10. Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm, Sr., have been spending their recent winters in Sierra Madre at the home of their son. They celebrated their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary while here last year.

## The... Watch Tower

By Perley Poore Sheehan

WE were profoundly interested and not a little disturbed when we read in a neighboring column last week a fine letter of reproof. The letter said that in times like these when the whole world is upset we might use this space to better service if we discussed those things now troubling the world instead of the things we usually discuss; such as, it specified, "wild ducks and skunks and rocks in Eaton canyon wash."

Yet the very last time we were down to the wash we met a rather elderly couple there. They were collecting small bright rocks and seemed blissfully happy. We didn't know each other. But they told me they'd read about the rocks in this same column. Then they recognized my dog, from what we'd written, and guessed right off who we were—although we were disguised as a tramp; bringing us also somehow into their zone of blissful happiness, as easily and naturally as a burst of sunshine does on a cloudy day.

Now suppose these folks, who looked like old-fashioned Republicans, had really been Communists, or Fascists, or New Dealers, or something, and we'd been lambasting their particular "ism" in this column of ours. We'd have felt pretty badly about it. For we liked them, instinctively, without knowing their names or their views, or anything, just as Rusty did. She's the dog.

ANYWAY, the more we read these discussions of what Mr. Longstreet—he's the letter-writer—calls the more important things, the more we're disposed to leave such discussions to those who want to discuss them. In print, that is. Which is something like radio-broadcasting—where the other fellow can't really answer you back. We have opinions which may not be yours; and we scrap for them, plenty; but where's the fun or the justice if we expressed these opinions in print and you couldn't scrap back? Besides, opinions are like food. Most of us take solely what agrees with us. If it doesn't agree with us we can't or won't digest it. That's all. And if you do hanker for some special brand of "ism," you'll find today that there are newspapers, magazines, and books enough devoted to that exclusively, just like specialty shops.

So, honestly, why put it in the Watchtower?

BUT there's another aspect of this turning to nature when the world's in trouble. We've just been reading a big old book in two volumes called "The Monks of the West," by Count de Montalembert, a member of the French Academy; and the period he deals with is that which followed the smash-up of the Roman Empire, when the Barbarians moved in and the real "Dark Ages" began. This didn't happen overnight. It took a long time. And there were discussions then just as there are now—of gangsters, graft, pacifists, militarists; new parties springing up, old parties slanging each other. You'd think really at times the count was writing about affairs today. But the point is that, in the long run, all the things worth saving in that period of wreckage were saved precisely by those men who withdrew to the waste places, such as our own mountains and deserts and canyons. And what they saved included not only such things as good manners, besides all the arts and sciences, but largely also faith, hope and charity.

WHAT we really liked most, though, in this book of the learned Academician was what he told us about how these highbred holy men became the boon companions, so to speak, of all the birds and animals they met, just like our friends, the Atkinsons, in Altadena.

There was St. Columba, for example, the great Irish missionary to the pagan Scots, saving the life of a storm-crippled stork and sending it back at last to its native Erin. Then, there was that other Irish missionary, Delcote, monk and minstrel like so many others of his kind, who'd built a little oratory for himself in the savage woods of Brittany, and there tamed a wild boar that was the terror of the country. There must be thousands of stories like

## Care Of Books And Library Work Is Taught Children

The Children's Drama Guild has just presented a program for the Congregational Church. Grace Jensen, Mary Lou Lovejoy, Irene Lloyd, George Tyree, Betty Jean Askew and Betty Lou Lacey participated in the entertainment, with Betty Lou Lacey acting as mistress of ceremonies.

An interesting new feature of the Guild activities will be the making of a costume scrapbook from magazine pictures. The regular weekly program was presented Saturday by Marjorie Royce. Marjorie and Anna Sue Adwell received star awards for excellence.

Work in the library department is progressing under the leadership of Anna Sue Adwell. It is hoped that this interesting feature will develop not only a real desire to read good books, but a knowledge of how to run a library and of the proper care of books.

Through the kindness of Mrs. Bertha Irvine the costume department is the richer by two gowns of the gay ninety period.

The Guild will be happy to present programs for any local organizations. Friday and Saturday nights, or Saturday afternoons. Other engagements may be made through parents of the children.

## Household Hints....

When sheets wear in the middle, rip hems and make sheets into pillow cases.

Wrinkles may be easily removed from a chiffon dress if it is hung in a bathroom filled with steam. When thoroughly steamed hang in the air to dry.

Raisins and figs will not stick to the food chopper if a little flour mixed with a few drops of lemon juice is put through chopper with the fruits.

One quart of boiling water, three tablespoons of linseed oil and one tablespoon of turpentine mixed together and applied to hardwood floors with a wooden cloth will remove all the dust and dirt that has accumulated on them.

If a beef loaf is seared in hot bacon drippings before baking in the oven it will not become dry.

French chalk rubbed over a grease spot on wallpaper and allowed to remain overnight will remove spot.

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that, from all the far corners of what had been the Roman Empire—legends of wolves taught meekness, of stags that volunteered to draw the plow, of doves and birds that fed the starving saints with milk or grain.

And, now that it's coming on to St. Patrick's Day, we shouldn't forget him either. He didn't kill the snakes of Ireland, remember; he just spoke to them gently and they went away.

IT was as if all these gentlemen and scholars had been, in fact, able to return, in some fashion, to the happy state of our Father Adam—before the fall; making each his Eden about him, where he could live in peace with all living things; and in their passion for eternal truths knew that they could both find these truths and preserve them, not in discussions of the so-called great questions of their day, but in simple quiet, in kindness, and a patient consideration of what some folks think are the lesser things of life—like wild geese flying, the cruelly slandered little skunk, the colored stones of Eaton wash.

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We of the California Fruit Growers Exchange urge you to join a group. For a better-organized, quicker-acting citrus industry is the first need of the day. The reasons for your taking such action were never so strong—the reasons for holding apart never so few. We welcome an opportunity to discuss this subject further with you.

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## Sierra Madrean On Committee For Woman's Conference

Representing the Sierra Madre Woman's Club, Mrs. W. J. Lawless of 506 West Grand View avenue, is included on the executive committee for the Sixth Annual Woman's Civic Conference to be held on the University of Southern California campus March 26.

This year's conference will center around "Business and Government," according to Mrs. Donald McCord Baker, chairman. Dr. Aurelia Henry Reinhardt, president of Mills College, will address the convocation assembly on "The Task of Government in 1936."

## Weekly Retreats At The Monastery Tax Its Capacity

Some forty-five men from the Insko Drilling Co. and from Hollywood will go into retreat at the Mater Dolorosa Monastery over the weekend.

Last week-end the Monastery was host to 54 men from Long Beach, while the previous week-end saw a gathering of 41 men from Ventura County.

According to the Fathers, the retreats are becoming so popular that they are forced to turn away a number of men every weekend because of lack of accommodations.

## Californians Now Shipping Avocados To Many Countries

Calavos are being shipped by the Calavo Growers of California to not only every important market throughout the United States, but are now also going to England, France, Germany, Canada and Panama, it was revealed yesterday by the local grower's marketing cooperative.

The enthusiasm being displayed by distributors in London, Paris and Hamburg indicates a good potential outlet for this fruit, heretofore considered difficult to ship. The first carload ever moved into Florida was recently shipped by the local growers' marketing cooperative, to the Florida growers' cooperative.

## ANNOUNCE EXAMS FOR FEDERAL JOBS

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examination as follows:

Junior Calculating machine operator, \$1440 a year.  
Assistant land negotiator, \$2600 a year, and junior land negotiator, \$2000 a year, Bureau of Biological Survey, Dept. of Agriculture.

Full information may be obtained from Florence Wicks, secretary of the U.S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the local post office.

## Tearing Ross Field Up By The Roots; Park To Take Shape

A total of 125 workmen, drawn from WPA lists, were busy at Ross Field, Arcadia, this week, obliterating the last traces of what during 1917-18 was one of the busiest wartime army camps in California. The 185 acres sold by the Baldwin interests for an Army Balloon School have been turned over to the county, to be used in perpetuity as a county park and recreation center.

Monday the last of the old high fences surrounding the property was torn down, and graders and gangs of men were occupied in excavating thousands of feet of water and other service pipe that used to supply the hundreds of huts and barracks.

The Arcadia County Park improvement is being carried out with a Federal appropriation of \$470,000, to which the county is adding about \$65,000. The county parks department has full charge of superintending the transformation.

In a few weeks time the full quota of 970 men figured on as necessary for the project will be at work. The present total of 125 will be added to from time to time as required.

Men were at work this week breaking up the concrete foundations of the two huge hangars which for years were a conspicuous feature of the Ross Field landscape. The concrete, as well as miles of service pipe, is being salvaged for use in the park plans.

## Dance Students To Appear In Recital For The Auxiliary

A program to be given by the pupils of Prof. Ivan Karloff of Sierra Madre on April 20 in behalf of the American Legion Auxiliary will illustrate the thorough methods of child training and discipline used in the capitals of Europe and in New York, Chicago, and Los Angeles where Professor Karloff has taught.

In order to attain his objective, namely, to develop the epitome of poise and grace in the children, he has exacted the same conscientious application from them which he, in return, puts into his art.

Being a firm believer in the adage "practice makes perfect," Professor Karloff is instilling into his charges the necessity of being sincere and willing to become tired in doing the same steps over and over. They are making remarkable progress. An outstanding program is being prepared which will feature Egyptian, Hungarian Gypsy, Cossack, Russian, Minuet, Militaire Tap, Waltz Clog, Acrobatic and various other picturesque dance numbers.

Hostesses who will preside on that evening will be Mesdames Ornelia Stinman, president, and Leila Embree, chairman.

## Demand CCC Camps Here Be Retained

Action followed swiftly on the heels of the plea voiced last week, in an exclusive story in THE NEWS by Major J. P. Kaye, district forest ranger, for additional CCC camps to meet fire-protection needs in the forest area immediately adjacent to Sierra Madre, Altadena, Arcadia, Monrovia and other foothill towns.

On Friday, March 6, the same day Major Kaye's appeal was printed in THE NEWS, the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce directorate instructed its secretary, G. G. Meade, to telegraph the district's Congressmen and senator, urging them to use their influence to procure more CCC camps for this district in the event the Monrovia camp is disbanded April 1—which would leave only the Coldbrook and Castaic camps available for fire-suppression purposes in the area.

The following day, in Pasadena, it was revealed that the matter has been brought to the attention of the United Service Clubs, who suggested that the Chamber of Commerce take up the fight for the retention of the Monrovia camp, as well as the two camps in Tuna canyon and the Angeles Crest area.

Assemblyman Frank G. Martin of this district yesterday announced receipt of a letter from Robert Fechner, National Director of Emergency Conservation at Washington, assuring him that "there is no intention of moving all CCC camps from any area." Fechner added that in addition to the large number of camps already closed, he is under instructions to close an additional 455 CCC camps on April 1. "In making this reduction," Fechner wrote, "I am requiring all technical agencies and all States to contribute their proper percentage to the total reduction."

Martin also announced receipt of a letter from Fred Morrell, assistant chief of the U. S. Forestry Service at Washington. "Every effort," Morrell wrote, "will be made to retain an even distribution of CCC camps throughout all sections of your State, regardless of the type of conservation work they are undertaking."

Martin has received a letter from Senator Hiram Johnson saying that he has taken the matter up with the Secretary of Agriculture and the Director of Emergency Conservation Work. The Senator promised Martin to do all he can to have the camps retained here in Southern California.

According to Federal CCC camp headquarters, the removal of camps in the local area would be merely a part of a general retrenchment plan.

Efforts are being made in Pasadena to retain the camps for further reason of erosion prevention. Probably no place in the country is work for erosion prevention needed more than in the flood districts along the foot-

hills, said William Dunkerley, Pasadena Chamber of Commerce secretary.

Commenting editorially on the subject, the Pasadena Star-News said:

"It is an inescapable truth that the CCC camps are formidable barriers to the spread of fires in national forests. This has been observed first hand by the people of this section. They keenly sense the added hazards that would prevail were the Tuna canyon, the Angeles Crest and the Monrovia camps to be abandoned."

"As for erosion prevention, there is urgent need for that, also, in this region. However viewed, it would seem that removal of the CCC camps from nearby mountain areas would be a grave mistake. Some means should be found to acquaint the Federal government with the situation in all its aspects."

No action has yet been taken in the matter by any Sierra Madre body, though the city is probably closest to the summer fire hazard in the Angeles Forest.

Kaye's appeal was particularly timely coming as it did on the eve of State Conservation Week, March 8-14, which is to be climaxed tomorrow by fire and prevention observances that will emphasize the need for more vigilance against the "red enemy" in California forests.

The American Legion and school authorities co-operated this week in presenting programs, as-

semblies, exhibits and other features. Many schools included conservation studies in the daily class routine all through the week. Foresters and others interested in conservation spoke at several school assemblies, while the Forest Service picture, "Chaparral," was shown before student groups during the week.

In observing State Conservation Week, forest officials point out that the heavy rains will de-

lay but not lessen danger of forest fires in this area.

A report issued by Regional Forester S. B. Shaw states: "Although the camper is learning to be a good woodsman and set less fires last year compared to the average for the past five years, the smoker is becoming more careless and therefore a greater menace to all forest resources of timber, game, recreation and water."

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Bread 16-oz. loaf 7c	Formay Shortening 3-lb. can, 54c; 1-lb. can, 19c
Morton's Salt 2 26-oz. pkgs. 15c	Pineapple Juice No. 2 Libby's Brand 29c
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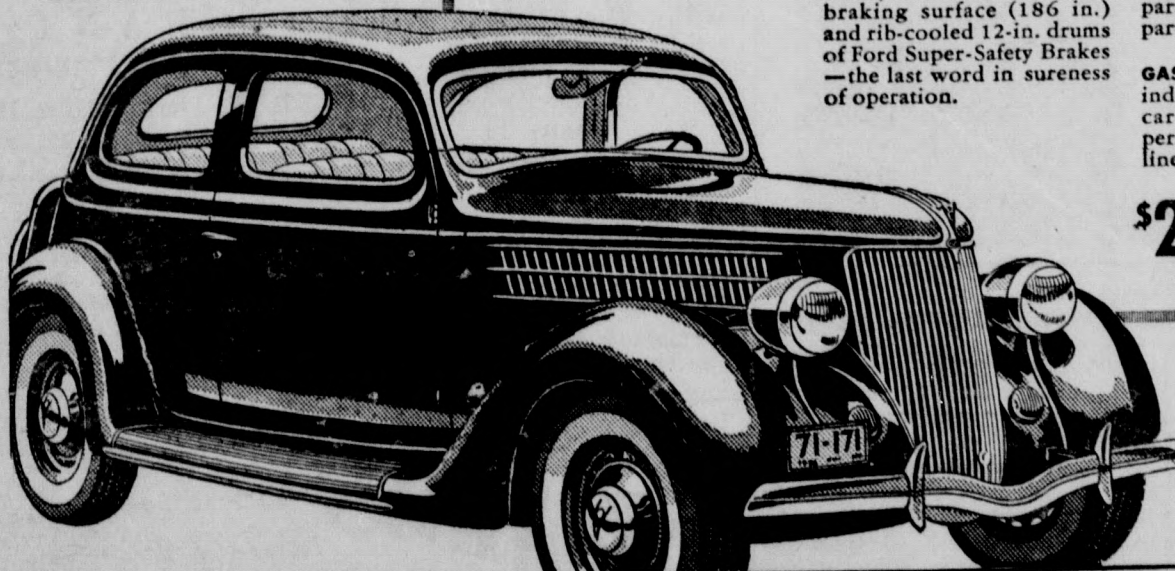
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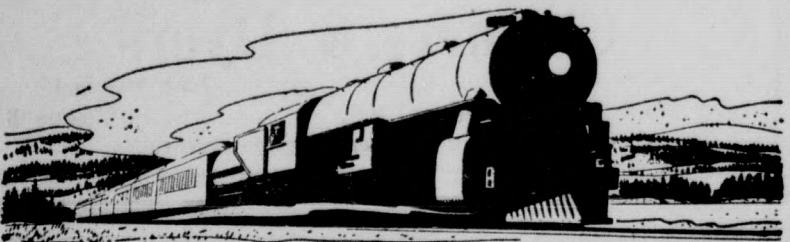
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## Condemned Man Writes Impressions

His Book Among New Volumes Received At The Local Library

Eighteen new books have been received at the Sierra Madre public library and are now ready for circulation, according to announcement this week by Miss Lulu Moore, librarian. Included in the lot is "We Who are About to Die," by David Lamson, now in the midst of his third trial for wife murder. The other new volumes are:

Fiction: Loss of the Jane Vesper, Crofts; Gaudy Night, Sayers; Exile, Buck; Last Puritan, Santayana; Secret Marriage, Norris; Roxana, Kelland; Dust Over Ruins, Ashton.  
Non-fiction: Nowhere Else in the World, Enders; There's Always Tomorrow, Harrison; Diaghileff, Haskell; Facing Two Ways, Ishimoto; We Who are About to Die, Lamson; Selected Poems, Nathan; Great Trek, Miller; Your Child in Health and in Sickness, Dwyer; Laughter Out of the Ground, Lampson; Way of a Transgressor, Farson; Be Kind to Yourself, Young.

Book circulation for February totaled 4532 Volumes: 3956 adult and 576 juvenile books.  
Eighteen new names were registered for borrowers' privileges during the month.

### PARTY FOR BENEFIT OF WORTHY PROJECT

The San Gabriel Valley League of the Los Angeles Sanatorium in Duarte is deep in plans for one of the smartest events of the winter season. On Sunday night March 15, Valley civic and philanthropic leaders will invade the Biltmore Bowl for a dinner-dance, proceeds of which will be devoted to the work of the League on behalf of needy tuberculous. Joe S. Weber of Sierra Madre is general chairman for the event. In charge of arrangements for the dinner-dance are Weber and Mrs. A. Ashkenas, who were appointed district chairmen for this community.

### MASONIC LODGE HOLDS STAG SOCIAL ON TUESDAY

Next Tuesday evening, March 17, a stag social will be held at the local Masonic Temple, to which all Masons and their friends are invited. The festivities will begin at 7:30 p.m. Movies and local amateur theatrical talent will be on the program and a hot lunch will be served.

## Delinquents May Still Redeem Land Held For Taxes

"Taxpayers have until April 20 to redeem their delinquent taxes for 1934 and prior years without penalties and with only a small interest charge added," according to County Tax Collector H. L. Bryman.

After April 20, penalty will be computed on the basis of 1 percent per month, if redeemed within 5 years from July 1 of the year of sale to the State. Starting with the sixth year the penalty will be one half of one percent per month.

For those unable to redeem in full, a partial-payment plan is provided, allowing payments to be extended over a 10-year period. The plan must be adopted by April 20 or it cannot be used. Also, the current tax must be paid in full on or before April 20 each year to keep the plan in effect.

This effort to save the properties of thousands of taxpayers who found themselves unable to meet their tax payments during the height of the depression was devised in 1933 by Assemblyman Frank G. Martin of this Assembly district, who secured an extension of the redemption period by the last legislature.

## Amazing Increase In Ford Production Reveals Up swing

Revealing that more motorists bought Ford V-8s in 1935 than any other car, official figures of the Automobile Daily News, trade paper of the automobile industry, shows that sales of Ford V-8 units in the United States totaled 1,065,002, as compared with 677,179 units in 1934, representing an astonishing gain of 57.2 percent.

Ford V-8 sales in the United States were approximately 31.1 percent of sales by the entire motor car industry. Correspondingly, the world record of Ford V-8 unit sales showed a large increase. In 1935 world sales totaled 1,311,927 units, a gain of 51.6 percent or 446,826 units over 1934's production number, 865,101.

In Canada sales in 1935 almost doubled, jumping from 19,222 in 1934 to 31,620 last year. Not only did North America turn to Ford in 1935, but the rest of the world—from the great cities of South America and Europe to the farthest flung frontiers—felt this quickening. Sales figures soared from 168,700 in 1934 to 215,306 in 1935.

## County Cops Expected To Consolidate

Forty-Four Police Departments Now Operating; Too Many, Expert Says

Consolidation of all municipal police departments into one central police force under the jurisdiction of the Los Angeles County Sheriff was recommended by Supervisor Gordon McDonough in an interview at the Hall of Records recently.

"It needs no technical authority to see the wisdom of unshackling our police departments so that in combating crime they need not be restricted by arbitrary municipal boundary lines," McDonough said.

Forty-four police departments are now operating in the Los Angeles metropolitan area. He proposed, as an improvement over the present system, a metropolitan police organization. The suggestion was originally made by the committee on governmental simplification, which has been studying local governmental situations for some time. Such a system, claims McDonough, would not only increase the efficiency of the police department, but also materially reduce administration costs.

Each city would have the privilege of determining whether or not it desired to become a part of the central system, he explained. The right to local self-determination would not be lost in this consolidation program.

A county tax levy would finance this program and would be substituted for the present funds, which are derived from city taxes.

## COLIN HILL GOES TO SAWTELLE HOSPITAL

Collin Hill of East Montecito avenue, well known local Legionnaire and member of the Legion baseball team, went to the Veteran's Hospital at Sawtelle on Monday to undergo a minor operation. He has been employed at the Bassett-Washburn Nursery for the last ten or twelve years.

### TAKE OHIO VISITORS ON TRIP TO THE HOOVER DAM

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Vannier of 131 Bonita avenue and the Misses Calvina McDonald and Jane MacGregor of Cleveland, Ohio, who are visiting at the E. H. Vannier home, 53 South Hermosa avenue, motored to Hoover Dam and Los Vegas on Tuesday for a trip of several days.

## Two Dominant Leaders in Their Respective Fields



LION AND GENERAL DUAL-10 TIRE  
Jackie of California Zoological Gardens, Proud of Product That Gives Feeling of Perfect Safety

Those who know Jackie, the lion at the California Zoological Gardens, marvel at his trait of demanding the very best. Jackie is indeed a spoiled baby and according to Melvin Koontz, his trainer, naught but the first in food, bedding and personal attention will satisfy his fastidious taste.

His latest favorite, according to Roy Pickett, General Tire

dealer, is the new General Dual-10 tire. When it was presented to him, Jackie insisted upon thrusting his head through the tire and with a lion's swish of the tail, asked the photographer to take his picture.

According to Mr. Pickett, lions are not the only ones that show a marked preference for Dual-10 tires. Latest development of the General Tire and Rubber Co., of Akron, Ohio, this new product is

heralded by police officers and traffic engineers as one of the greatest safety contributions since the advent of the motor car.

The predominant feature of the Dual-10 is that it is absolutely skid-proof and will stop as quickly on the slipperiest of streets as on dry pavement. Roy Pickett announces that all General products may be purchased at his place of business, on the easy payment plan.

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Evenings by Appointment

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**Geo. W. Groth, M.D.**  
94 N. Baldwin  
Phone 20

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Hours 2 to 4 p.m. Daily  
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## WANT ADS

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## WORK WANTED

FURNITURE repairing, carpentering, painting and general repairs, door locks and windows. Call, The Handy Man. Phone 334-1. B. A. Platte. 11:15a

ASSIST with light housework or care of elderly person. Daytime or evening. Phone 205-1. -25a

For Sale  
REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—7 room house nearly new. Furnace heat; double garage; at 633 W. Alegria. Owner, 198 N. Lima. Phone 1691. 23-25c

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SMALL mod. home. Nicely furn. 2 bdrms, 2 screen porches. Adults only. 89 N. Auburn. 23\*d

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FOR SALE  
MISCELLANEOUS

NEW modern 4-piece maple bedroom suite. New coil spring mattress. Complete \$49.50. Huddleston Furniture Co. 12-14 N. Baldwin Ave. -23:e

USED 8 piece dining room set, \$44.50. BEAUTIFUL \$35 walnut veneer boudoir desk \$9.50. PAIR Simmons used twin beds and springs; very good condition. \$5.00 each. Huddleston Furniture Store, 12-14 N. Baldwin Ave. -24:e

A GOOD selection of rebuilt vacuum sweepers, guaranteed for one year. Priced from \$16.50 to \$22.50. Huddleston Furniture Store, 12-14 N. Baldwin Ave. -24:e

6 ft. CUSTOM built, two-wheel trailer; like new. 1936 plates; good rubber. Price \$40. Murphy, 186 Grove St., Phone 214-F-3. -24:27e

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## MISCELLANEOUS

HARDWOOD FLOORS polished. Old floors made like new. Oak floors installed over old pine floor. Call Arcadia 2830 or Address Box K, News Office. -24:tfi

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## LEGAL NOTICE

## NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

COMMISSIONER'S SALE  
No. 395540

DAVID M. BROWNING, Plaintiff

—vs.—  
OSWALD A. BERGIEN,  
MARGARET BERGIEN, et al., Defendants

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, of the State of California, on the 4th day of March, A.D., 1936, in the above entitled action, wherein David M. Browning, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Oswald A. Bergien and Margaret Bergien, et al., defendants, on the 14th day of January, A.D., 1936, for the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred Three and 34/100 (\$1,603.34) Dollars, lawful money of the United States, which said decree was, on the 16th day of January A.D., 1936, recorded in Judgment Book 933 of said Court, at page 24, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Los Angeles, State of California and bounded and described as follows:

Lot Three (3) of the Wilton Tract, City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 12, Page 51 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

Together with tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining.

Public Notice is hereby given, That on Saturday, the 28th day of March, A.D., 1936, at 10 o'clock A.M., of that day in front of the east and Spring Street entrance of the Hall of Justice, the County of Los Angeles, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1936.

C. E. HAAS,  
Commissioner Appointed by the Court.

## NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a general municipal election will be held in the City of Sierra Madre on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1936, for the following officers:

2 Councilmen for the full term of four (4) years;

1 City Clerk for the full term of four (4) years;

1 City Treasurer for the full term of four (4) years;

There will be four (4) voting precincts for the purpose of holding said election, consisting of a consolidation of the regular election precincts established for holding state or county elections, as follows:

Voting Precinct "A," comprising state and county precincts number 1 and the polling place thereof shall be at the residence at 47 West Grand View Avenue.

Consolidated Voting Precinct "B," comprising state and county precincts number 2 and 4, and the polling place thereof shall be at the Community House, located within the City Park at the corner of Hermosa

Avenue and Sierra Madre Boulevard.

Consolidated Voting Precinct "C," comprising state and county precincts number 3 and 5, and the polling place thereof shall be at the City Hall, 55 West Sierra Madre Boulevard.

Consolidated Voting Precinct "D," comprising state and county precincts number 6 and 7, and the polling place thereof shall be at the residence at 81 East Grand View Avenue.

The polls will be open between the hours of 6 A.M. and 7 P.M. of said day.

WAVERLY E. PRATT  
City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre  
Dated March 12, 1936.

## RESOLUTION No. 670

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING POLLING PLACES, ALSO APPOINTING ELECTION OFFICERS AND FIXING THEIR COMPENSATION FOR THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION, TO BE HELD APRIL 14th, 1936.

The City Council of the City of Sierra Madre resolves as follows:

Section 1: The General Municipal Election will be held in the City of Sierra Madre on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1936.

Section 2: That the location of the polling places, also names of the election officers and compensation provided for them, be and the same are hereby fixed as follows:

VOTING PRECINCT "A" consisting of regular election precinct No. 1

Polling Place—at the residence at 47 West Grand View Avenue

ELECTION OFFICERS  
Inspector—Harold A. Addis  
Judge—Mrs. Marie C. Lord  
Clerk—Mrs. Ora A. Caskey  
Clerk—Mrs. Bertha L. Irvine

CONSOLIDATED VOTING PRECINCT "B"

consisting of regular election precincts No. 2 and 4

Polling Place—at the Community House within the City Park at the corner of Hermosa and Sierra Madre Boulevard

ELECTION OFFICERS  
Inspector—Francis Eakman  
Judge—Mrs. Sallie E. Osgood  
Clerk—Thomas Solary  
Clerk—Russell E. Tyree

CONSOLIDATED VOTING PRECINCT "C"

consisting of regular election precincts No. 3 and 5

Polling Place—City Hall, 55 West Sierra Madre Boulevard

ELECTION OFFICERS  
Inspector—Mrs. Virginia L. Roess  
Judge—Mrs. Josephine E. Marr  
Clerk—Mrs. Martha Loreen Adwell  
Clerk—Mrs. Agnes B. Tyree

CONSOLIDATED VOTING PRECINCT "D"

consisting of regular election precincts No. 6 and 7

Polling Place—at the residence at 81 East Grand View Avenue

ELECTION OFFICERS  
Inspector—Mrs. Ethel H. Hawks  
Judge—James P. Forbes  
Clerk—Miss Laura E. Cadmus  
Clerk—Mrs. Cora B. Corum

Section 3: That each of said election officers be paid the sum of Four Dollars (\$4.00), as full compensation for his or her services in conducting said election.

Section 4: The polls shall be opened at 6 o'clock a.m. of said day and be kept open until 7 o'clock p.m. thereof, when the polls shall be closed.

Section 5: The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Resolution.

Adopted and approved this 11th day of March, 1936.

H. C. REAVIS  
Mayor of the City of Sierra Madre, Calif

ATTEST:  
WAVERLY E. PRATT  
City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre

STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
City of Sierra Madre

I, Waverly E. Pratt, City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Sierra Madre, and approved by the Mayor thereof at a regular meeting held on the 11th day of March, 1936, and that the same was passed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes: Councilmen Layton, Lees, Schwartz, Froelich and Reavis  
Noes: None.  
Absent: None.

WAVERLY E. PRATT  
City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre

## ORDINANCE No. 372

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE CARE AND EXPENDITURE OF MONEYS RECEIVED FROM THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 5, CHAPTER 1, DIVISION 1 OF THE STREETS AND HIGHWAYS CODE.

The City Council of the City of Sierra Madre do ordain as follows:

Section 1: To comply with the provisions of Article 5 of Chapter 1 of Division 1 of the Streets and Highways Code, with particular reference to the amendments made thereto by Chapter 642, Statutes of 1935, there is hereby created in the city treasury a special fund to be known as the

Large Crowd  
Sees Skeele  
Art Exhibit

By Vernon Jay Morse

Our generously successful reception in the Little Gallery on Sunday in honor of Miss Katherine Skeele of Monrovia brought together a fine crowd of art lovers. In addition to the inveterate home town turn-outers there were many from Pasadena and Monrovia and all-in-all, we might say the artistic goose hung high.

Miss Skeele's paintings came in for a full share of approval and criticism as will always be the case when the painter does not bow to the academic line.

Most criticism is a result of desire to return to the "good old days." Constantly heard in art discussions is the thought: "We'll outgrow these artistic heresies and return to sound, art, the kind which people agree is good." Every age has repeated this thought and yet has art ever turned back on itself? The answer is that we grow out of one set of artistic heresies into another, some remain as contributions to the general stream of advancement others die of their own emptiness. We never return to a former viewpoint because the heresies of today are the fundamentals of tomorrow, otherwise, where is progress?

It is surprising how many people have open minds about art trends. Many are able to see the picture idea and overlook the method of getting it across. A picture should not be criticised for faulty drawing but it should always be praised for its message if it has a message.

In spite of its unorthodox quality, Miss Skeele's work received a great deal of praise from laymen as well as artists. She leaves the little things, the non-essential details out and using the broad viewpoint captures and sets down her ideas without technical fireworks.

Mrs. Alfred Dewey was our hostess and with her several assistants carried off the afternoon in an entirely enjoyable manner.

## OBSERVES SECOND ANNIVERSARY



Home of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Altadena. Two years ago this association was started. Now it has assets of more than one half million dollars and has done much to revive home building in this locality. H. F. Dunton, secretary-manager of the association is also pictured above.

The second anniversary of the formation of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Altadena was celebrated this week by the organization and in a review of its activities of the past two years Secretary-treasurer H. F. Dunton outlined the accomplishments and growth of the institution and the part it has had in reviving home construction activity in this section.

In March of 1935 a permit was given a few Altadena residents to form a Federal Savings and Loan association. From that small beginning the association has grown until it is a home financing organization with assets of more than one half million and with loans outstanding of nearly half a million dollars.

In a recapitulation of activities Secretary Dunton reports the association to March 1 has made \$1 new construction loans in Altadena, Pasadena, Sierra Madre, San Marino, Arcadia, and other sections within the 50 mile radius of its office. These loans totaled \$375,780 or an average of \$4,639 per home. Refinancing and purchase loans totaled \$94,775.

Loans are made at an interest rate of from 5 to 6 percent and extend from 5 to 20 years with monthly payments and interest accruing only on the unpaid principal.

"We feel gratified at the success of the association and the confidence in it shown by our investors," Secretary Dunton stated. "This confidence is due largely to the fact that all savings left with us are insured up to \$5,000 by the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, a permanent agency of the United States Government. It shall be our endeavor to continue to render every service possible to home builders and to those persons seeking a safe investment for their savings."

"Health" Theme Of Wednesday Meeting Of The Local PTA

A most worthwhile program has been planned by the P.T.A. for next Wednesday, March 18th. Mrs. Ellen C. Barker, school nurse, has arranged a program from the sanitation office of the Los Angeles County Health Department will be the chief speaker. Mrs. Barker promises to present something that will be decidedly different.

The entertainment will include a program on "Corrective Exercises" and "Nutrition," in which the children will take part.

Protective Ass'n  
Protests Removal  
Of The CCC Camps

Fire Chief W. D. Richards, District Forest Ranger J. P. Kaye and Joe Swanson, captain of the city fire department's first-aid crew, were among those present at the March meeting of the Angeles Forest Protective Association at M. H. Newman's camp 1 in San Gabriel Canyon on Monday evening.

Two resolutions were adopted: one asking for the retention of present CCC camps in the local area; the other for an appropriation to continue the work of the San Dimas Experimental Station. Mr. Godwin, assistant forester in charge of fire control, and Mr. Morse, assistant regional forester, were guests of District Supervisor Crebbin at the meeting. Mr. Crebbin discussed the progress of transportation and fire control studies by the Service.

"Calling All Cars;"  
Stars In Person At  
The Lyric Theatre

Direct from the Paramount Theatre in Los Angeles, "Calling All Cars," with your favorite radio stars in person, is the feature of today's bill at the Lyric Theatre in Monrovia. On the screen is "Rose of the Rancho," starring John Boles and Gladys Swarthout, and "Seven Keys to Baldpate," with Gene Raymond and Margaret Callahan.

Opening tomorrow and playing through Tuesday, March 17, is "Rose Marie," MGM's musical glorification of the great out-of-doors, and the long-awaited Harold Lloyd opus, "The Milky Way."

"Rose Marie" presents Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy singing duets against a background of Canadian forests. Funny as well as tuneful, Harold Lloyd, in "The Milky Way," is assisted by Adolph Menjou, Verree Teasdale, Helen Mack, William Gargan, George Barbier and Dorothy Wilson. It is the tale of a difficult milkman who becomes a prize-fighter in spite of himself.



## GARDEN NOTES

By Jessie Ward Russell  
Landscape Gardener

MARCH is truly a garden month. Now everyone has the urge to get out and dig around in the dirt. Almost any kind of garden activity can be carried on now with beneficial results.

Weeding and transplanting plants and trees is probably the most important things to do now. If you are planning to make changes in your garden design, do it now while you can still move plants from one place to another without injury.

Now would be a splendid time to start the planting for an outdoor living-room if you have not already made one. Have at least one corner of the out-door living room shaded by trees so that you can use it on the hottest days next summer.

Roses should be gathered into one section of the garden and not just planted hit or miss about the place. They usually look best blocked in a bed. Plant about 3 feet apart. Standard or tree roses should be planted along a drive or walk and spaced about 8 or 10 feet apart.

Sweet peas that are blooming now should have some attention to keep them in good condition. The old blooms must be picked off so that they will not go to seed. The foliage should be dusted with sulphur. Commercial fertilizer should be worked into the ground about the roots. They must not be allowed to get dry.

Deciduous fruit trees (peaches, plums, figs, apricots, walnuts, persimmons) must be planted very soon now or it will be too late for this year. Also grapes and berries.

Fertilize lawns with weedless steer manure or a complete commercial fertilizer at the rate of 50 pounds for 1000 square feet. Use steer manure six bags per 1000 square feet of lawn.

These flowers may be planted now: Verbenas, petunias, pansies, violas, English daisies, blue daisies.

WILSON PTA HEARS A HOMETOWN SINGER

The Parent-Teachers Association of Wilson Junior High School held the second meeting of the semester Wednesday afternoon in Willard Auditorium. Mrs. H. B. Hersey, president, presided.

Following the business meeting, Mrs. Janet Stevenson Wood, well known soloist of this city and mother of two Wilson boys, sang, and Colonel H. B. Hersey, retired Army officer, spoke on "Balloons in Early Days."

Tea was served by the eighth year mothers and Mrs. A. H. Embree, eighth grade general chairman.

MINNESOTANS TO PICNIC  
The annual picnic reunion of the Minnesotans in California will be held all day Saturday, March 14th, in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles. The program of music and addresses will follow the basket dinner hour.

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## TIME TO GET BUSY

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## SIERRA MADRE WOMAN GREETED CRABBED OLD SHAW WITH LEI OF VEGETABLES IN HONOLULU

George Bernard Shaw flatly refused to accept leis of flowers presented him by hula girls when he arrived recently in Honolulu, but when Mrs. Edith N. Hawxhurst, child psychologist and former wife of Henry Hawxhurst, local artist, approached the famed wit and presented him with a lei of vegetables, it was a different story.

As Shaw came down the gangplank, followed by Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Hawxhurst stepped forward, holding out her lei.

"Welcome to Honolulu, Mr. Shaw, and allow me to present

you with..." began Mrs. Hawxhurst. Shaw stopped and raged. "I'm not accepting any flowers," he snorted. "But these aren't flowers," explained Mrs. Hawxhurst quickly. "This is a vegetable lei for your soup."

Mrs. Shaw overheard, and peered over the Shawian shoulder.

"Vegetables!" she exclaimed. "So they are. You'd better take them, George."

Whereupon the caustic sage relented and actually broke into a grin.

"That's fine," he said. "Now if you'll just leave them at the office on the ship I'll have them when I return later on for supper."

"I guess my psychology worked," remarked Mrs. Hawxhurst as she took the vegetable lei aboard ship.

The Honolulu Advertiser ran a four column, first page picture of Mrs. Hawxhurst greeting the old crab, with accompanying story.

"Sock Party" Of The Friendship Club Innovation Here

The Friendship club's latest activity was a "Sock Party" given on Monday evening in the ladies parlor of the Congregational church, which was a definite success, both artistically and financially.

Having been hidden to the party by an invitation which included a little sock to be filled with double the number of pennies it would take to tell the size of the owner's sock, everyone was glad to learn that quite a small little sum was realized to swell the Club treasury.

Miss Elizabeth Morgridge, participated in the musical program, playing two selections on her violin accompanied by Miss Moreland Kortkamp, who afterwards rendered a piano solo. Several delightful songs were sung by Jack Buchanan; and two readings were given by Mrs. Saunders. Tasty refreshments were enjoyed. Mrs. Wm. J. Adwell and Mrs. Al Myers assisted the hostess, who were Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. T. L. Blanke, Mrs. Randall Perry, and Miss Emily Roos.

WILSON HOP TONIGHT SPONSORED BY P.T.A.

A big crowd will be on hand in the Wilson gym tonight when the first P.T.A. dance of the semester gets under way at 8 p.m. Frank Vane and his Ourville orchestra will furnish the music. The proceeds will all go towards welfare work in the Wilson neighborhood.

NEW YORKER BECOMES BIG CALIFORNIA BOOSTER Mrs. Marvin Coats of 240 East Sierra Madre Boulevard and her mother, Mrs. Lillian Millman of Livonia, New York, who has been wintering in the Southland, spent a most interesting Sunday driving through the San Fernando Valley. They visited the historic San Fernando Mission, the Olive View sanatorium at the top of the Valley, and other points of charm.

Mrs. Millman, who happens to be an ardent booster for California, was particularly intrigued with the topography of the Valley, and its antecedents.

SPEND AN UNFORGETTABLE WEEKEND ON DATE RANCH Who doesn't like to go to unusual places? Miss Edith Rankin and Miss Louise Judson of Cypress Court, with their hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner of Santa Monica, spent an unforgettable weekend near Indio right on a date ranch.

The drive out and back was equally as lovely, skirting as it did, blossoming prune and almonds orchards.

## One Of City's Oldest Firms Quits Field

W. S. Andrews Retires; Jim Hawks To Operate His Northern Mining Claims

Business partners for 23 years, W. S. Andrews and J. N. Hawks this week announce the dissolution of their real estate and insurance business at 18 West Sierra Madre boulevard. "Andrews & Hawks" was the town's oldest real estate firm.

Retiring last winter from active participation in his business, Mr. Andrews retained the agency for the Liverpool, London & Globe Insurance Co. He will have been with the English firm for 50 years next August, which is something of a record.

At the time of Mr. Andrews' retirement Judge T. W. Neale purchased the insurance business of the Andrews & Hawks firm. Mr. Hawks is now associated with Judge Neale at 86 West Sierra Madre boulevard. He plans to spend several months each year on his mining properties in Northern California.

"It's about time I began to enjoy myself," Mr. Hawks said. The very many friends of Mr. Andrews, the city's oldest business man, will be happy to learn that he is back home again. He collapsed Monday morning in Judge Neal's office. He was taken to St. Luke's Hospital where he staged one of the most phenomenal recoveries on record, according to hospital attaches.

## Dean Bode Lenten Recitals Popular With The Townsfolk

Those organ recitals preceded by a box supper, inaugurated by Dean Bode as a Lenten feature, are steadily becoming more and more popular with Sierra Madrans.

They are given every Thursday evening beginning at 6:30 o'clock at the Parish House of the Church of the Ascension. Families and even newcomers are finding this feature, which, by-the-way, has not been given before during Lent, a very pleasant engagement to reserve. It affords an excellent opportunity in which to hear Dean Bode play his own and other compositions on the organ, aside from the social aspect of it. More than fifty people were present last week.

## Hawkes, 96, Takes An Aerial Joy Ride To Escape Jitters

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been up in the air that high. GuesSED he'd try it. The boys over at the Monrovia airport thought that he was joking when Mr. Hawkes showed up in the Sierra Madre taxi. But it gave them the kick of their own comparatively short lives when they learned that the old gentleman was serious. Quickly the best plane in the field was taxied out, with the best pilot in charge. Too bad that the pilot, being no publicity hound, withheld his name.

The ground crew watched them off. They zoomed high, the pair in the plane. The pilot was showing the former miner a new aspect of the mountains he loved. Over the broken crest of the whole circling high above Mount Wilson, then back again. They made a beautiful landing.

"How'd you like it?" Mr. Hawkes, we asked him. "Pretty nice; pretty nice," Mr. Hawkes replied. "Exciting?" "No; interesting though. Sierra Madre looked mighty small from 'way up there.' " "Frightened?" "Why, no. Never thought of that. Sort of scared at times riding in an automobile—so many careless drivers. But you don't get careless drivers in the air. And, anyway, danger's nothing to be frightened of as long as you don't get careless."

## ALTADENANS PLAN BIG TIME ON MONDAY

Details have been completed for the annual benefit dinner dance to be given at the Altadena Recreation Building, Monday evening, March 16th. The affair is sponsored by the Control Board of the Altadena Recreation Building. Proceeds are for the benefit of the furnishing fund. When the furnishings are paid for the Recreation Building will be self sustaining.

An elaborate program of entertainment is arranged, including good orchestra music during the dinner and for dancing. There will be tables for cards for those who do not care to dance.

## MINNESOTA POSTMASTER TO MAKE HIS HOME HERE

Jason Weatherhead, a former newspaperman and postmaster of Ada, Minnesota, renewed his acquaintance with Sierra Madre Wednesday afternoon. He and his wife are friends of the Hanson family, who resided on North Lima street a year ago and Mr. Weatherhead became a NEWS subscriber, becoming interested in the activities of this community to such an extent that he may decide to come here some time in the near future.



M. H. Payne of Pasadena, was in the city on business Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Marvin of Long Beach has rented a flat at 586 Woodland Drive.

"The" Steinberger of Death Valley was in Sierra Madre over the weekend.

Elliott Lloyd of Glendale was in Sierra Madre visiting friends on Wednesday.

Robert Steinberger and family of Santa Ana, were visitors in the city Saturday.

Mrs. M. R. McBurney has been confined to her home with a bad cold for over a week.

Miss Jessie Dunning of West Montecito avenue spent the weekend at Santa Monica.

Mrs. George D. Johnston, 615 Woodland Drive, entertained the Contract Club Monday night.

Mrs. Ethel Robertson who has been living at Bella Vista Terrace has moved to Escondido.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Manion and daughter, of Los Angeles, have rented Pop Inn Cottage on Brookside Lane.

Mrs. T. F. Yerxa of 173 San Gabriel Court has as her house guest, Miss Nellie Yerxa of Laguna Beach.

Mrs. Claude E. Allen of 61 Bonita avenue was visited by Mrs. Ruth Burgess of Sacramento, last week.

Everett Hinojos, of North Grove street, purchased a new Chevrolet this week through McDonald & O'Boyle, local agents.

Archie Edwards, 838 Woodland Drive, returned on Saturday from a five day trip to Sierra National Forest.

Miss Cricket Calkin was heard over Station KGJF in a sketch called, "The Bride's Delight" Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Listen, formerly of 240 East Alegria avenue, has left Sierra Madre to reside in Kingsville, Ontario, Canada.

Mrs. Henry Lee of New York, who is Miss Marion Vannier's house guest, is visiting friends in Santa Barbara this week.

Mrs. Frances Eakman of 194 Mariposa avenue is entertaining Miss Mary Calkins of Long Beach and Mrs. Lou Wimple of Chicago, Ill., at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seely of 29 North Lima street spent the weekend with old friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hein of Upland.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve O'Donnell who have been residing at 235 Wilson avenue during the racing

## A.L.A. Activities

By Helen Lovejoy

MANY buddy popples have already been made in Sawetle and San Fernando hospitals by disabled veterans employed in the Auxiliary's 1936 poppy programs. The work is directed, materials supplied and the workers paid by the State organized, the Department.

The poppy making will continue through March and April, being distributed to the various units to sell on the streets on Poppy Day, May 23.

March 16 an 18th district meeting will be held in South Pasadena with Pearl DeLapp wielding the gavel.

Thursday evening, March 5th, an executive board meeting was held in the club rooms. Plans for a number of projects were discussed.

March 17th is the Legion's birthday. The Auxiliary's National President will have no small part in the broadcast to be over the blue network, beginning at 11:30 p.m. eastern standard time and lasting a full hour. Mrs. Muckelstone will describe the Auxiliary's contributions to the Legion's accomplishments.

## LOCAL WOMEN HELP MAN 107 CELEBRATE

It does not fall to the lot of everyone to be invited to the birthday party of a person who is just exact 107 years old. But Mrs. Mary Wammoth, Miss Mattie Cuddy, and Mrs. Maude Ward of Sierra Madre did on Tuesday when they were present at a celebration given in honor of Hilmar H. Reynolds, Civil War veteran, who resides in Los Angeles.

His rules for longevity are few and simple: "Eat spinach; abstain from alcohol and smoking; stay outdoors as much as possible; keep mentally alert," he told his friends.

## COLORADANS WILL SEE THEIR FIRST WISTARIA FETE

Newcomers to town who will see their first Wistaria Fete this year are Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Balyati, formerly of Colorado, who have come to make their home in California. They are domiciled at the Bella Vista Terrace.

MICHIGAN FOLKS TO PICNIC The official picnic reunion for the Wolverines is announced by President E. E. Haring of the Michigan Association of Southern California, in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles, all day, Saturday, March 21st.

Baldwin avenue were hosts last Sunday to Miss Bette Chandor of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Margaret and Miss Barbara Cooper of Sierra Madre. Miss Chandor is leaving soon for the east; she will be accompanied by Miss Cooper.

Another delightful motor journey was taken by Mrs. Cynthia J. Holmes, and daughter, Miss Leona Holmes and Miss Betty Clarke of 170 San Gabriel Court last weekend to San Diego and the big Exposition.

As a farewell gesture to her house guest, Miss Dorothy Mitchell, of Evanston, Ill., Mrs. R. V. Mitchell of 38 West Grand View avenue, entertained Miss Margaret Steppens of Los Angeles and a large group of friends of her guest's over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Blackmun of 697 Woodland Drive will be hosts Monday evening to Dr. and Mrs. Joe M. Nation of Long Beach. Rev. Mr. Nation is pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church of that city and will be the speaker at the Townsend club meeting on Monday.

Dean Arnold G. H. Bode of 45 East Laurel avenue drove down to Orange, Calif., Monday evening with Tom Meador to address the Episcopal Church of that city on "Christian Principles for Society," and to attend the congregational supper at the church, which is a Monday night feature during the Lenten season.

City Building Inspector Jack Hosford delivered a talk on "Contractors Forums," to a group of selected homemakers throughout the county at the Broadway store auditorium on Monday. He has been asked to address the Federated Women's Clubs of Los Angeles on the same subject later.

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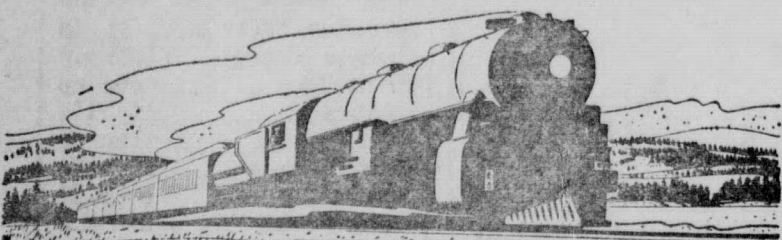
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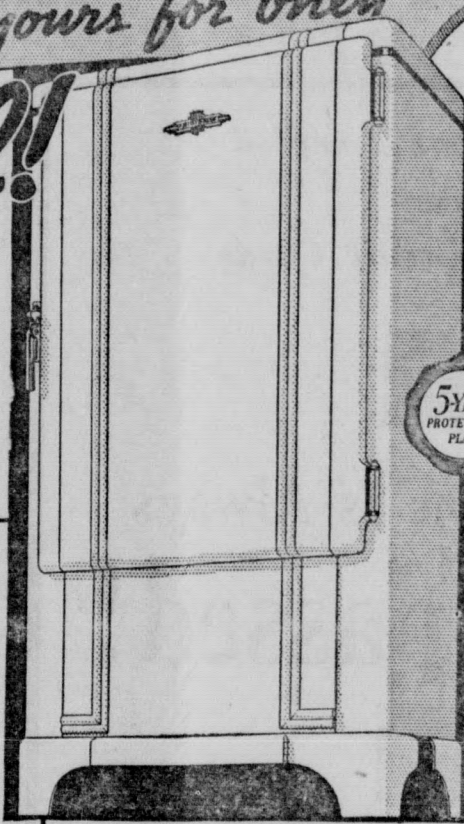
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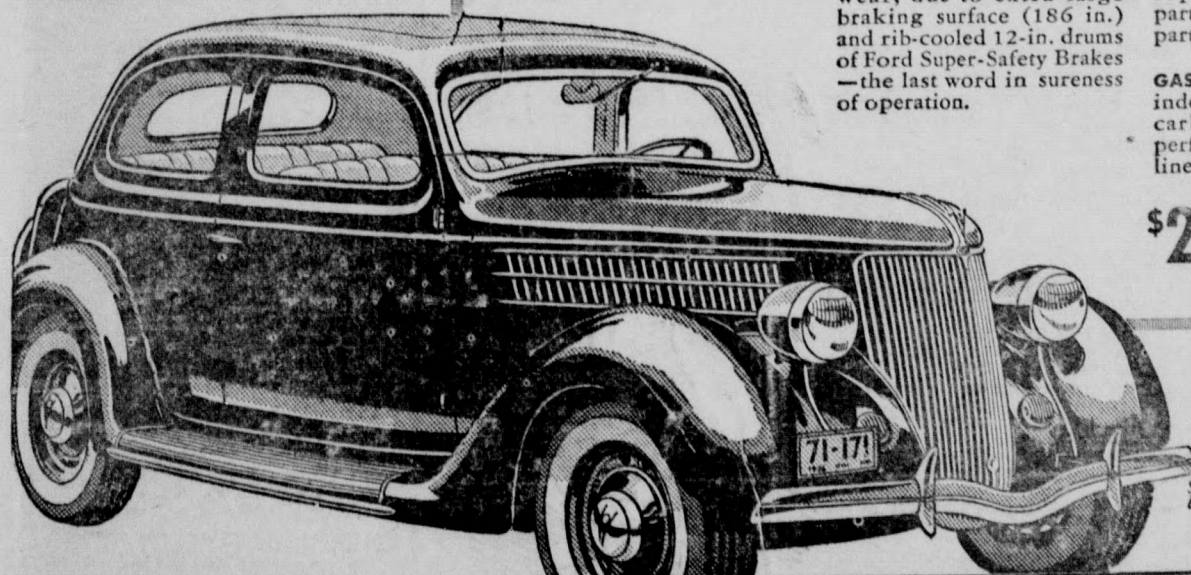
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